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To the Publiſher of the DAILY GAZETTEER.

SIR,

'T IS a Common Thing, for a Merchant to put a young Fellow into a Houſe, and ſtock him with good Wine, to bring a Trade to it; and while that laſts, as long as our Landlord's Port is neat, he does pretty well; but if his Friend drops him, the Scene changes, his Cuſtomers fall off, he is forc'd to ſhut up, and a Bill is paſted over the Door.—Now, as *Prior* ſays,

Firſt Mens Inſtance, then Apply ——

This is the Caſe of the *Craftſman*: The Great Man, who was the *Decus & Præſidium*, his Ornament and Support, ſeems quite tired, and leaves ——— to himſelf, to mix and brew the beſt he can; but, O horrid! What Balderdaſh Stuff does he give us! enough to poiſon the D———l. It not only hurts the Conſtitution, but is even nauſeous to the Palate; inſomuch that the *Country Journal* will become as deſpicable as *Fog*'s, unleſs the Patron furniſhes freſh Supplies of Wit, or the *Daily Adverſer* inſerts a Whereas the *Country Journal*, or the *Craftſman*, has been carry'd on with a Publick Spirit, free from all Private Pique, for a Courſe of Years, and the Performer, ſatiated with Applauſe, is deſirous to reſt from his glorious Toil, and therefore gives Notice to any True Patriot that is out of Place, that he may apply himſelf to ———, in ———; and if upon Examination found qualify'd, he ſhall have his Credentials, and proper Inſtructions to purſue their Noble Deſign, of inſtilling into the Minds of the People, Loyalty to their Prince, Love to their Country, and an Abhorrence of the Prime M——r, &c. One or the other muſt be done; for 'tis Pity ſo good a Cauſe ſhould ſink for Want of an able Advocate; and the preſent Undertaker is not equal to it, 'tis plain: He has nothing new. Tedious Repetition, the old thread-bare Topicks, turn'd and trim'd, *without any Fancy*, very ſhabbily, very heavy, very dull, indeed! But notwithſtanding how the Man ſtruts laſt Saturday! What Airs he gives himſelf, with his Worthy Ally *Common Senſe!* I don't know how to aſk you, but you'll oblige me, if you'll ſuffer me to touch upon One or Two of his Queries; there's 13 to the Dozen, and, I think, I'll tack a Couple together, to ſerve for a Specimen of the Queriſt's Underſtanding, and his Conſiſtency with himſelf. ——— *Was it not Queen* Elizabeth's *Maxim, to keep her Neighbours engaged in War, in Order to preſerve the Peace, and improve the Trade of her own Subjects?* ——— *Was ever Queen* Elizabeth *accuſed of having left her chief and beſt Ally in the Lurch?* ———Here's a pretty Blunder at firſt! and they're all alike, an Incoherent Jumble! What's intended for a Satire, turns out a Panegyrick upon the preſent Adm———n: For other Powers of *Europe* have been engaged in a bloody and expenſive War, while we enjoy'd the Bleſſings of Peace and Plenty, and improved the Opportunity for carrying on our Trade. Can our Inquiſitor tell us, who was this chief and beſt Ally, whom Queen *Elizabeth* never left in the Lurch? How is this? Could ſhe let the ſame Ally be engag'd in War, and continue in Peace herſelf, without leaving him in the Lurch? By the Alluſion we may ſuppoſe is meant the E——r; and if the Clamours of the *Craftſman*, and ſuch Patriots, had been minded, we had been in a bleſſed Pickle indeed! For what if this chief and beſt Ally had made a Peace for himſelf, and left us in the Lurch, and the *Dutch* had not come in at all, and we were engaged with the united Force of *France* and *Spain* by ourſelves? Why then we might be up to the Chin in Blood and Miſery and Things in the Confuſion as *D'Anvers* wiſhes. He wants to pull our Houſe down about our Ears, and vainly fancies he could re-build it better: Where wou'd our Trade have been then, the moſt valuable Branches interrupted? —— But here is not Room to inlarge; only indulge me a little, and let me caſt my Eye on one more, and but one more: *Did her Civil Liſt ever amount to Eleven or Twelve Hundred Thouſand Pounds a Year?* A wiſe Queſtion really! Why did not this curious Gentleman ask the Reaſon, that there was not as much Gold and Silver, and Specie in the Kingdom in her Reign as in the preſent? Why the Maids of Honour don't breakfaſt upon a Rump Stake, and come to Court in their Pattins? Why the Cuſtoms are not farmed for 50,000*l. per Annum*? Why *London* is bigger now than in her Time? Why a King of *England* can't be compar'd to the King of *Great Britain*: And why our Auguſt Monarch is greater than Queen *Elizabeth?* —— If I was to aſk him, why the Coat that he wore when he was a Boy, does not fit him now, he would ſneer at me for a very ſilly Fellow; and to ſpeak the Truth without Flattery, to judge of his Age and Underſtanding by many of his Pieces, he's a Boy ſtill: If he is fond of being laugh'd at, to give him that Pleaſure, I will trouble you with a few Remarks upon the reſt when you will permit me; but otherwiſe as to the Publick, I am ſure 'tis not worth While; for tho' in any Country it is no hard Matter to cajole the Multitude, and make them believe that they are ill govern'd, yet ſome of theſe Repreſentations are too groſs, too malicious, to go down at a Gin-Shop. —— Adieu *Monſ. Craftſman.*

Richard's, Monday October 31.

I am, SIR,
Your very humble Servant.
R. C.

SCOTLAND.

Edinburgh, Oct. 27. On Tueſday, Thomas Dundas of Lethem, junior, was married to Miſs Anne Graham, a virtuous and beautiful young Lady, Daughter to James Graham of Airth, Eſq; Judge-Admiral.

His Majeſty's Commiſſion is come down, and was Yeſterday read in the Presbytery, appointing Mr. James Glaſgow, Clerk, Chaplain to the Garriſon of the Caſtle of Edinburgh, in room of Mr. Alexander Ker, deceaſed.

The London Prints having affixed a moſt horrid Meaning on the Word *Sorning*, we think it proper to inform our Engliſh Readers, That *Horners, Sorners, Egyptians*, and *Sturdy Beggars*, are ſuch as go about the Country, and demand Meat, Drink and Lodging, in a Maſterly Way, or take it by Force, without paying for the ſame; which is made Felony, without Benefit of Clergy, by a Scots Act of Parliament.

HOME PORTS.

Leith, Oct. 26. Since my laſt came in eight Barks with Coals. Mr. Stark ſeized laſt Day 26 Hogſheads of Wine, two Anchors of Brandy, three Barrels of Soap; 50 lb. Weight of Tea, and 150 lb. of Coffee Beans was ſeized by George Logan, Tideſman; and 6 lb. Weight of Tea by Mr. Brown.

Falmouth, Oct 29. Since my laſt arrived the Farmer, Burrel, from Morlaix for this Place. Came in the Happy Deliverance, Ryan, for Campheir; the Dutcheſs, Rayter, from Dublin for Rotterdam.

Plymouth, Oct. 30. Juſt now came in the John and Robert, Hendrick, of this Port from Oſtend for the Streights.

Dartmouth, Oct. 30. This Day ſailed the Carolina Galley, Taylor, from Barbados; the Elizabeth, Tapper, from Newfoundland; the Elizabeth, Le Groſs, from Jerſey, all three for London; the Thomas and Mary, Mercer, of London from Faro for Dover for Orders, with ſeveral Coaſters. The Poppet of and from London, Wall, for Santa Cruz, ſailed Yeſterday. Wind N. E.

Southampton, Nov. 1. Since my laſt arrived the Hope, Tourtel, of and from Guernſey; the Three Brothers of Southampton, Oliver, from Alderney; the Jane, Pitton, of and from Guernſey. Sailed the Two Marys of Southampton, Maynar, for Jerſey; the Hope, Perchard, of and for Jerſey.

Deal, Nov. 1. Wind N. E. blows hard. Laſt Night came down and ſailed through, the Snapper, Grey, for Corke and Jamaica; the Ottley, Beach, for Corke and Leeward Iſlands; the Amelia, Smith, for Barcelona; the George and Mary, Richardſon; and the Sarah and Elizabeth, M'Cane, for Lisbon; and the Dublin Merchant, Thomas, for Dublin. No Ship in the Downs.

Graveſend, Nov. 1. Paſſed by here the Lady Elizabeth, Baarns; and the Henry, Klincart, from Amſterdam; the Unity, Ruſſel, from Petersburg; the Folly, Chearſman; the William and Mary, Scott; the Charming Peggy, Hooper, from Norway; the Merry Jacks, Granger, from Riga; the King George, Paterſon, from Norway; the John and Barbary, Cuſſon, from Gottenburg.

LONDON.

By a Mail that came in Yeſterday from France, with Letters dated laſt Saturday, there's Advice from Italy of the Death of Don Felix Cornejo, the Spaniſh Envoy Extraordinary at Genoa, of an Apoplexy; and alſo of the Death of the Engliſh Conſul there, after a long Fit of Sickneſs.— They add, moreover, that the Duke of Modena is dead, in the 82d Year of his Age.

Some Letters from Vienna ſay, that the Count de Khevenhuiller is ſo indiſpoſed at Belgrade, that he has deſired the Emperor to excuſe him from further Service in the Field, and to let him officiate in the Poſt which his Majeſty lately conferred on him, of Vice-Preſident of the Council of War. They mention a Report alſo, that the Count de Seckendorff is ſo ill in his Camp at Sabaſch, that his Life is in Danger. Complaints arrive daily at Vienna, of the Sickneſs that ſpreads in the Army for Want of Proviſions; and of the Scarcity of Money, which is ſuch, that tho' the Garriſon of Niſſa has not above a Fortnight's Stock of Proviſions, the Imperial Commiſſaries have not wherewithal to purchaſe more. The Letters add, that the Prince of Bevern, and Count Charles Palfi, are both returned from the Army, ſhaking with a Quartan Ague. There are ſome Advices, nevertheleſs, that Zwornick is beſieged by 18,000 Germans; but they hardly deſerve Credit, before the Arrival of the Mail, which may be expected To-Morrow from Holland.

Yeſterday Se'nnight a Stranger was found in a Ditch, not far from Burdſophouſe, within a Mile of Swinden, in Berkſhire, with his Throat cut, and without Stockings, Breeches, Hat, Wig, or Shoes. He was ſuppoſed to have been robb'd and murder'd but a Day or two before.

The ſame Day there was heard at Aldermarſton, a Complaint made by Richard Thompſon, Eſq; againſt the Undertakers of the River Kennet, for conſiderable Damages done to his Meadows by the Navigation of the ſaid River. There were 40 Commiſſioners preſent; but after a Trial from 10 in the Morning till 10 at Night, the Jury found a Verdict for the Undertakers.

Yeſterday Morning died ſuddenly, Mr. Goodwin, one of the Domeſticks of the young Princeſſes.

The ſame Day Mr. Griffin, one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, was diſpatched to Mr. Keene, his Majeſty's Miniſter at Spain, with Affairs of great Importance.

The Lady of the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Hereford, and Siſter to his Grace the Duke of Portland, lies dangerouſly ill.

Laſt Night a Committee of Council was held, at the Cock Pit, Whitehall, relating to Plantation Affairs.

Yeſterday the Lords Commiſſioners belonging to Chelſea College, ſat at the Guard Chamber, Whitehall, when ſeveral ſuperannuated Soldiers, worn out in the Service of the Crown, and whoſe Certificates were Regiſtered in the Secretary's Office, were admitted into the Penſion of the ſaid College.

We hear that a Proclamation will ſoon be iſſued out, with a large Reward, for the apprehending and bringing to Juſtice, all ſuch Perſons as were Aiding and Aſſiſting in the Murder of the Informer, who had Convicted the Cookwoman in Alderſgate-ſtreet, for ſelling of Gin.

Yeſterday Ann Mounckton, and Suſanna Kilburn, were convicted before Col. De Veil for ſelling and expoſing to Sale Spirituous Liquors in leſs Quantity than two Gallons, contrary to the Statute in that Caſe made and provided; the firſt of which paid the Penalty to the Informer, and to the Overſeer of the Pariſh of St. Clement Danes, and the laſt was committed to Tothill Fields Bridewell. Several Perſons came in the Behalf of the ſaid Ann Mounckton, the Colonel being very ill of the Gout, they were admitted up Stairs, amongſt which was a certain Diſtiller who behaved in a very audacious inſolent Manner, inſulting

infulting the Juſtice in the Execution of his Office, exciting a great Diſturbance to be made in his Houſe; but the Colonel had him immediately taken into Cuſtody, and he was forced to enter into Recognizances to anſwer the ſame at the next General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace.

Weſtminſter, September 24. 1737.

The ASSIZE of BREAD,

Aſſes'd by the Worſhipful ALEXIUS CLAYTON, *Eſq; Deputy-Steward.*

	lb. oz. dr.		lb. oz. dr.
1d. or 2 half pen. Loaf new to weigh	0 08 07	White	6d. Loaf | 04 11 13 Wheaten
	0 12 10	Wheaten	06 05 02 Houſhold
	0 16 14	Houſhold	12d. Loaf | 09 07 11 Wheaten
	1 00 14	White	12 10 04 Houſhold
2 penny Loaf	1 09 04	Wheaten	18d. Loaf | 14 03 08 Wheaten
	2 01 11	Houſhold	18 15 05 Houſhold

It is alſo Ordered, that the Bakers within this City and Liberty do not for the future make any Half-quartern Loaves.

And whereas it is enacted, That all Bakers ſhall and may, after Sept. 1, 1715, make, bake, ſell, and expoſe to Sale, Peck, Half-Peck, or Quartern Loaves, ſo as the ſame are made and ſold, both as to Weight and Price, in Proportion to the Aſſize-Table, according to which they are aſcertain'd as follows:

WHEATEN-BREAD.

lb. oz. dr.		lb. oz. dr.
Peck Loaf 17 06 02	Quartern Loaf	04 05 08
Half Peck 08 11 01		

By the Court,

HART.

N.B. The Price of the Half Peck fine Wheaten, according to the preſent Aſſize, is Eleven Pence, and ſo in Proportion.

High Water this Day at London Bridge.	Morning	Evening
	06 24	06 51

Bank Stock 143 1-half, 143 1-4th. India 177 1-half, 177 3-4ths. South Sea 102 1-4th. Old Annuity 112 1-8th. New ditto 111 7-8ths, 3-4ths. Three per Cent 107. 7 per Cent. Loan 112 1-4th. 5 per Cent. ditto 102. Royal Aſſurance 110. London Aſſurance 14 3-4ths, 7-8ths. African 14. India Bonds 7 l. Prem. South Sea ditto 4 l. 2 s. Prem. New Bank Circulation 7 s. 6 d. Prem. Salt Tallies 1 to 4 Prem. Engliſh Copper 2 l. 15 s. Welch ditto 15 s. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 8 1-4th per Cent. Prem. Three per Cent. ditto 3 3-4ths per Cent. Premium. Million Bank 121 1-half Lottery Tickets 10 l. 7 s. Stampt ditto 41. 7 s. to 7 s. 6 d.

This is to give Notice,

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